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SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated April 9, 2002, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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As a below named inventor, I declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below above my name; I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD OF PRESERVING OXYGEN INFUSIONS

the specification of which (check applicable box(es))

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on March 7, 2002 as United States Application No. 10/091,440

☐ and was amended on .

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 35 U.S.C. 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Japanese Patent Application No. 11-253119, filed September 7, 1999

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s) or 35 U.S.C. 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

International Application PCT/JP00/05512, filed August 17, 2000

I hereby appoint as my attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: the registrants of Oblon, Spivak, McClelland, Maier & Neustadt, P.C., Fourth Floor, 1755 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202, Customer No. 22850, or any one of them. Send correspondence to Oblon, Spivak, McClelland, Maier & Neustadt, P.C., Fourth Floor, 1755 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202.

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